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**Rubin Chester Ficklin Jr.**

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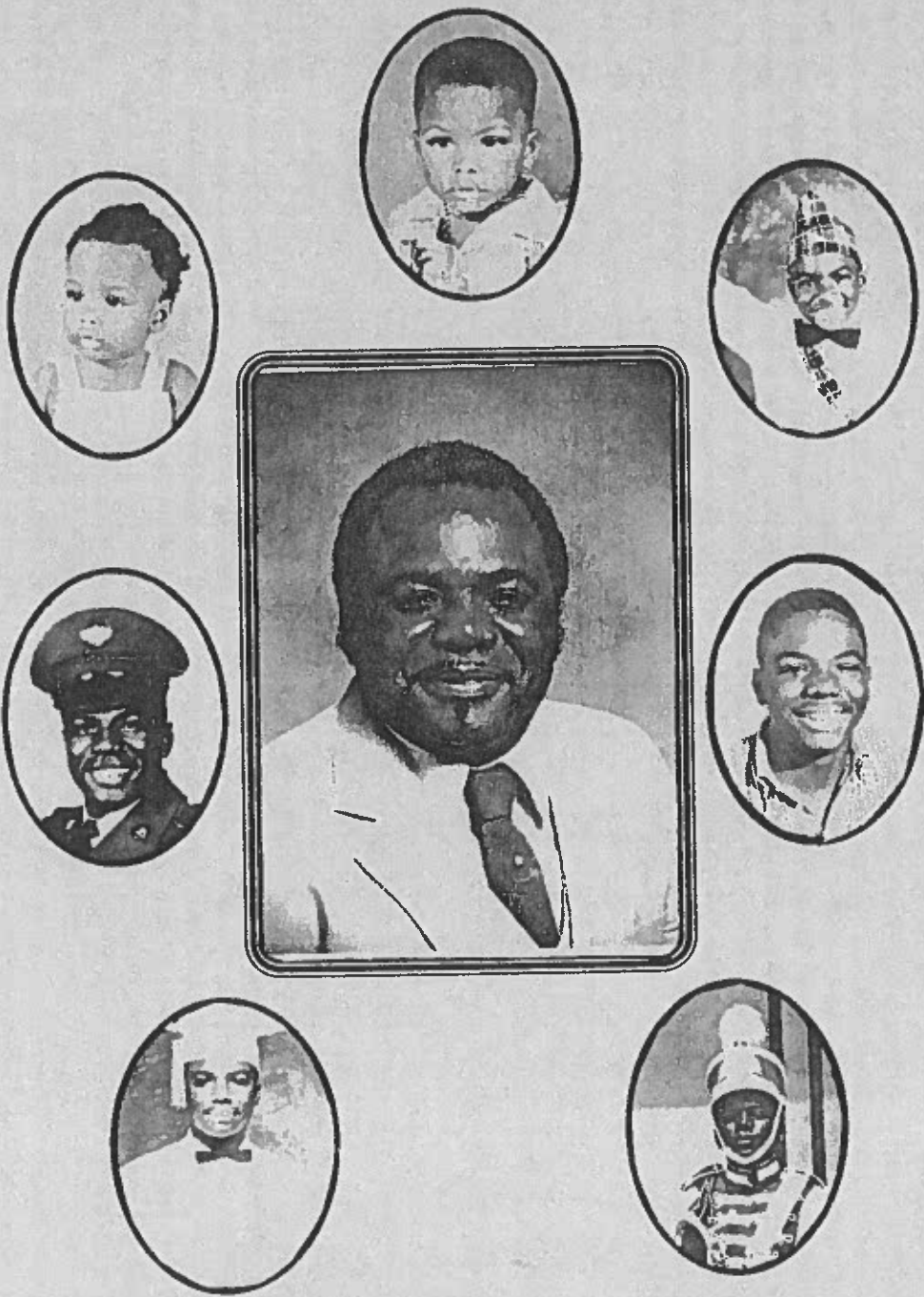
OBITUARY

Rubin Chester Ficklin, Jr. was born June 19, 1942 to Rubin Chester, Sr. and Leola Ficklin of Ft. Lauderdale, Florida. Chester attended Walker Elementary and was a graduate of Dillard High School, Class of 1960, which he was a member of the marching band. He remained an active alumni class member and will always be remembered as a "True Dillard Fan".

He did many odd jobs such as a barber, cook, and a caterer. He enlisted in the U.S. Army in 1964 which he served until 1966. He was united in Holy Matrimony to Lula Bell Powell on March 25, 1968. He was a faithful employee for Florida Power and Light for 24 years.

He leaves to cherish his everlasting memories: his devoted wife, Lula Ficklin; pride and joy daughter, Remonia "Mona" Ficklin; mother, Leola Ficklin; sister, Kathy Jackson; two step-sisters, Shirley and Alfonza Coley; two step-brothers Herman and Orion Coley; father and mother-in-law, Eugene and Lula Mae Powell; favorite aunts and uncle, Eloise and Robert Crafton, and Lucy Bell Crafton. He brought constant joy and laughter to seven sisters-in-law and eight brothers-in-law. Cousins, Shirley, Cheryl, Rosetta and many, many others which he loved so dearly. Two god daughters, Cassandra Stephens and Carol Adams; one god son, James Smith; several nieces and nephews and a host of devoted and loving relatives and friends.

IN LOVING MEMORY



Mr. Rubin Chester Ficklin, Jr.

ORDER OF SERVICE

- The Processional ..... Precious Lord (Music)
- Scripture ..... Reverend Micheal A. Cousins
- Prayer ..... Reverend Wayne T. Parks
- Selections ..... Full Gospel Choir
- Remarks (Not to exceed 3 minutes)
- As A Friend ..... Isaac Brown
  - As A Classmate ..... Robert Franklin
  - As A Employee/Co-worker ..... Alan Young  
Bobby Ware
- Presentation ..... Dillard High School Band  
"Class of 1960"- Joyce Brown
- Acknowledgments ..... Mizell Funeral Home
- Obituary ..... Soft Music/Read Silently
- Eulogy ..... Reverend Micheal A. Cousins
- Recessional

In Appreciation

Words can never express our appreciation for the kindness and various expressions of love shown by the many cards, telegrams and flowers sent.

We appreciate everything.

May God bless you.

The Family



### **Flower Bearers**

Dillard High School Class of 1960

### **Honorary Pallbearers**

Harry Vanpelt  
Freddie Floyd  
Jacob Neal  
Tony Evans  
Johnny Williams  
Isacc Brown  
Dwight Devoe  
Samuel "Slim" Gill

### **Active Pallbearers**

Dillard High School Class of 1960

### **Twenty-Third Psalms**

The Lord is my shepherd; I shall  
not want.

He maketh me to lie down in  
green pastures: he leadeth me  
beside the still waters.

He restoreth my soul: he leadeth  
me in the paths of righteousness  
for his name's sake.

Yea, though I walk through the  
valley of the shadow of death, I  
will fear no evil: for thou art with  
me; thy rod and thy staff they  
comfort me.

Thou preparest a table before me  
in the presence of mine enemies:  
thou anointest my head with oil;  
my cup runneth over.

Surely goodness and mercy shall  
follow me all the days of my life:  
and I will dwell in the house of  
the Lord for ever.

## **Funeral Service**

For The Late

**Mr. Rubin Chester Ficklin, Jr.**

**JUNE 19, 1942 - JANUARY 20, 1993**



Saturday, January 30, 1993  
10:00 A.M.

Mount Hermon A.M.E. Church  
401 N. W. 7th Terrace  
Fort Lauderdale, Florida

Reverend Michael A. Cousins  
Officiating

Interment  
Sunset Memorial Gardens

**A Roy Mizell Funeral Home Service**  
Richard A. Kurtz, Directing